done and of the schedule of rates of Public Works Department for the locality, etc.

15 The contractor will have to make his own arrangements for water required for the work, scaffolding materials and conveying from quarries etc. No extra amount will be paid for any of the above items.

16 For items not provided in the Estimate and for lump sum provision made in the estimate, the rates will be as per current Public Works Department Schedule of rates in force for the locality at the time of execution of work. For non-tendered and non-scheduled items data rates approved by the competent authority will be given.

17 The earnest money deposit of the unsuccessful tenderers is refundable after the receipt of the approval to the successful tender.

18 Quantities given in the estimate are only approximate, tentative and liable to alterations, omissions, deductions and additions at the discretion of the Divisional Forest Officer or any other higher authorities. The tender rates will hold good for any quantity higher or lower than those given in the estimate and they should be executed by the tender contractor.

19 Where definite lead and lift are not mentioned, it has to be considered as inclusive of all lead and lift to the work spot.

20 No machinery, tools, plant, etc., required for the work will be supplied by the Department.

21 The contract should not be sublet.

22 The rates quoted shall hold good if the tender is accepted and be binding till the execution of the entire work.

23 The contractor should show monthly progress as fixed by the Divisional Forest Officer and complete the work within the stipulated time. If he fails to show satisfactory progress, the work is liable to be got done through another Agency at the risk and cost of the contractor. He is liable to be fined up to Rs. 500 at the discretion of the Divisional Forest Officer.

24 The Sales-Tax and Income Tax Clearance Certificates should be enclosed along with the tender and tenders received without the certificates are liable to be rejected.

25 Tendered contractors have to pay compensation to the disabled workmen working under them for any injury or death caused or occurred during the execution of this work, failing which the amount will be deducted from the bills and paid to the injured or to the legal heirs of the deceased.

26 No correspondence will be entered into regarding acceptance or rejection of tenders.

27 The decision of the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga will be final in all matters of disagreement in respect of the work and the contractor should bind himself to the decision.

28 Five Per cent reserve will be withheld in each running bill as Security Deposit which will be refunded after the satisfactory completion of the work.

29 Any defective work and any work not approved by the Department if found executed, the contract will be terminated immediately and cost of rectification of the same will be recovered from the contractor

30 The tender will be opened in the presence of the contractors or their authorised Agents as may be present at the time.

31 The contractor shall be liable to pay all royalties chargeable on Government materials required for the work.

32 Solvency Certificate to the extent of Rs. 5,000 should be enclosed to the tender.

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OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT FOREST OFFICER, HASSAN DIVISION, HASSAN.

Tender Notification dated 25th December 1962.

No. S. 4-EXP. 114/62. Tender for felling, prepatation carting and lotting of timber during 1962-63, from the 1964 Regeneration area block of 50 acres at Boodichavadi in Bisle State Forest of Sakalespur Range.

(a) Sealed tenders for felling, preparation, dragging, carting and lotting of timber at Tanke depot, Boodichavadi from the 50 acres block of 1964 Regeneration area at Boodichavadi in Bisle State Forest of Sakalespur Range during 1962-63 (from the date of acceptance of the tenders to 30th June 1963) about 23, 600 cft. of timber to a depot at Boodichavadi near the Teak nursery site as per Schedule below will be received by the District Forest Officer, Hassan or any other officer deputed by him on 2nd February 1963 up to 3 p.m. in the District Forest Office, Hassan.

(b) The tender should be in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer, which can be obtained from the Office on payment of Rs. 5 for each form. The tender form is not transferable and is valid for this tenders only. Tenders not in the prescribed forms will be rejected.

2 Each tender should be superscribed as tender for felling, preparation, dragging, carting and lotting of timber from 1964 Regeneration area, Boodichavadi and shall be accompanied by an earnest money deposit of Rs. 500 (Rupees five hundred only) through a remitted challan (having credited the amount under Forest Deposit) and copies of the S. T. and Income tax clearance certificates. The copies of these certificates should be duly attested by a Gazetted Officer and should be valid on the date of receipt of tenders. The successful tenderers will however, has to produce the originals for verification at the time of execution of Agreement.

N.B.— (1) Tenders received without deposits shall be summarily rejected.

(ii) Conditional tenders and telegrahic tenders and tenders not accompanied with required certificates are liable to be rejected.

(iii) All corrections and over writings shall be fully attested by the tenderer, under his full signature and date.

3 The final acceptance of tender rests with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any other tenders without assigning any reasons for the rejection of any tenders in part or in full thereof.

4 The quantity advertised for preparation and carting, etc., is an approximate estimate. The tenderers shall have to accept the rate offered per cft. for any increased quantity therefor, from the area.

5 The work should progress systematically.

6 The work should be completed within the time *i.e.*, by 30*th June* 1963.

7 The intending tenderers are requested to satisfy themselves with the locality, area and quantity of timber, etc., by personal inspection in advance.

8 The successful tenderers should within a week from the date of receipt of intimation of the acceptance of his tender execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value furnishing the security deposit as stated below in the shape of National Savings Certificate pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Hassan and commence the work immediately after obtaining the work orders from the District Forest Officer, Hassan Division, Hassan.

9 In the event of failure to execute the agreement within the prescribed time the earnest money deposit shall be forfeited and the work will be re-tendered at the risk of the original successful tenderer or the work got done through another agency at his risk. In either case the defaulting tenderer is liable to make good any extra expenditure incurred over and above the accepted rates that Government may have to incur. The loss to Government in the event of re-tender and execution of work through other agency will be recovered as an arrears of land revenue under Section 79 of Mysore Forest Act 1900.

10 *Scale of Security deposits to be furnished.*

(a) If the total contract amount is Rs. 10,000 and below 10 per cent of the contract amount.

(b) If the total contract amount is Rs. 10,000 to Rs. 25,000 7 per cent of the contracted amount subject to a minimum of Rs. 1,000.

(c) If the total amount is Rs. 25,001, to Rs. 50,000, 5 per cent of the contract amount subject to a minimum of Rs. 2,000.

(d) If the total amount is Rs. 50,001, to 1,00,000 then 3 per cent of the contracted amount subject to a minimum of Rs. 2,500.

(e) If the total contract amount exceeds one lakh than 2 per cent subject of the contract amount to a minimum of Rs. 3,000.

11 The tendered contractor should complete the work within the allotted time showing the allotted progress of work to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer, Hassan. If the contractor fails to maintain satisfactory progress, the District Forest Officer, Hassan would be at liberty to make alternative arrangement at the risk of the original tenderer, besides forfeiring the security deposit in part or in full with a fine of Rs. 50 per week shall be levied.

12 In the event of breach of any of the conditions of the contract the S. D. shall be forfeited, the contract cancelled and the work got done through other agency. The extra expenditure over and above the accepted rates that the Government may have to incur, for getting the work done through another agency, shall be recoverable from the defaulting contractor as arrears of land revenue under Section 79 of M. F. Act, 1900.

13 The conversion of timber into logs, the dressing, carting, dragging and lotting in the Tanke depots should be carried out as per instructions of the Departmental staff. Any act done in contravention to instructions will result in disallowance of conversion and carting charges to the extent decided by the Department and the amount disallowed therefor, will be deducted from the bills of the contractor or from his security deposit.

14 Badly converted and inadequately dressed timber shall be rejected. However it they are reconverted and redressed to the satisfaction of the Department within a week from the date of rejection, they will be accepted and paid for after remeasurements and obtaining a certificate of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, to the effect. No payments will be made for the rejected logs.

15 The contract includes the following operations :— felling, conversion, dressing, de-barking in the middle of logs for measurement, collection, dragging, carting and lotting at Tanke depots, according, to the prescribed kind-war, grade and class. Details of grade and class can be seen in the Office of the District Forest Officer, Hassan or in the concerned Range Forest Office.

16 The contractor is expected to make his own arrangements for haulage of felled timber in the coupe by employing buffaloes or bullocks or any other means of haulage.

17 The timber carted to the depot should be lotted at the depots within 15 days from the date of issue of passports, according to kind, grade and classification failing which same will be got done by the Depot Officer by alternative arrangements at the risk of the contractor who is bound to bear the cost involved thereby. No separate intimation will be given to the contractor to undertake lotting within the specified period. Such charges incurred on lotting will be deducted from the bills of the contractor and balance only paid. In such cases the Depot Officer will note on the relative depot receipt the net amounts to be recovered towards the charges done by another agency.

18 All the timber for which passports are issued should be delivered in the depot within 7 days of the issue of permit. Any timber not reaching the depot within the above period will be treated as lost and the value thereof will be recovered at the depot rates from the contractor from the amount of the next bill due to him and penalised with suitable penalty at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, Hassan.

19 No timber should be removed from the felling area without obtaining permits from the Range Forest Officer, or such other subordinates duly authorised by for the purpose.

20 The contractor should render separate bills for each month in the Sakalespur Range Office, supported with depot receipts. The payments will be made twice a month by the District Forest Officer and the claims for more than one month should not be included in one bill.

21 In case of unsound and hollow logs carted to depot, carting charges will be deducted to the extent of hollowness or unsoundness of the timber by the District Forest Officer and payments made on the basis of depot receipts.

22 The contractor shall not sublet the contract.

23 Other conditions are as usual and can be ascertained from the District Forest Officer, Hassan during the office hours.

24 The Department shall reserve the right of permitting felling and removal of timber required for Wingo and Mysore Commercial Union from tendered area hereunder.

25 No operations shall take place before sunrise or after sunset.

26 The entire work should be completed on or before 30th June 1963.

27 Rate should be quoted as "so much per one cft." of timber including felling, preparation, dragging, carting to timber depot and lotting there according to kind, quantity and class. The rate quoted should be written both in figures and words.

28 The contractor shall make his own arrangement for opening and maintaining roads and cart tracks required for the preparation of timber in the regeneration area and carting the same to Tanke depot. He shall have no objection for the use of the said roads and cart tracks by the Department and its lessees.

SCHEDULE.

Name of the Range.	Locality of the area.	Kind	Quantity.	Depot.	Approximate distance.
Sakalespur Range.	1964 Regeneration area of 50 acres block, Boodichavadi in the Dist State forest.	Honne	4,000	Tanke Depot at Boodichavadi.	Six furlongs.
		Holebonne	500		
		Navilodi	300		
		Bilwara	300		
		Nandi	2,500		
		Hebbalasu	600		
		Beete	1,800		
		Other Kinds	13,000		
		Total	3,600 Cft.		

SAIYED SAFDER HUSSAIN,
District Forest Officer.

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ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER, HYDRO-ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS, RACE-COURSE CORSS ROAD, POST BAG No. 60, BANGALORE-9.

Abstract Notification dated 11th January 1963.

No. G.N. 3083/HCP/SVP5. The attention of the Firms dealing in Precision Instruments is invited to this Office Notification No. 3083/HCP/SVP, dated 11th January 1963, calling for tenders for the supply of Outside Micrometer Calipers, Tubulars 'C' or Bow type published on page 213, Part VI, of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 24th January 1963.

Intending tenderers are requested to apply to the undersigned for copies of details.

It may be noted that the last date for submission of quotations for this notification is 8th February 1963, up to 3 P.M. and quotations will be opened thereafter.

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For *Chief Engr. H.E.C.P.*

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